

Hierarchical Pattern Mapping

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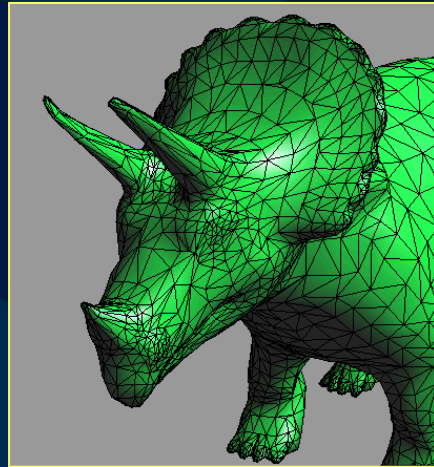


Motivation

- Seamlessly texture a mesh using a texture sample



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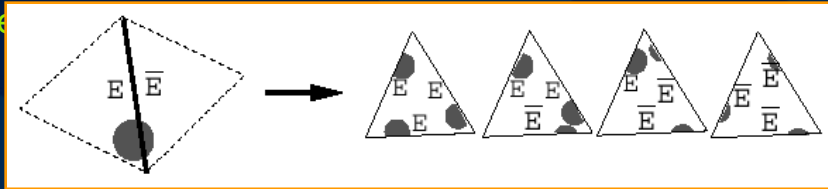


- Difficult because
 - Generally no continuous parameterization of the mesh
 - It's hard to texture locally without deformations
 - Very few information in the input sample

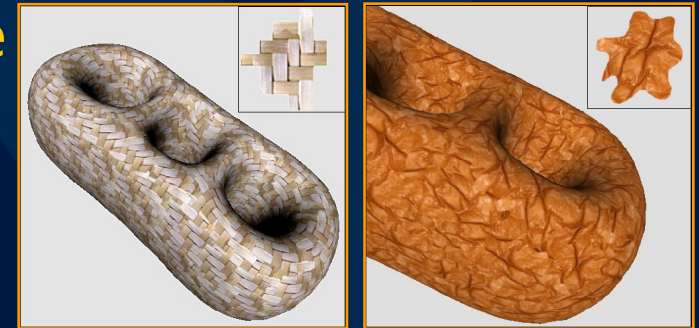
Previous works - Pattern mapping

- Pattern-based texturing [Neyret & Cani '99]
 - Map surface with tiles constructed according to all possible neighboring constraints

• Inconsistent



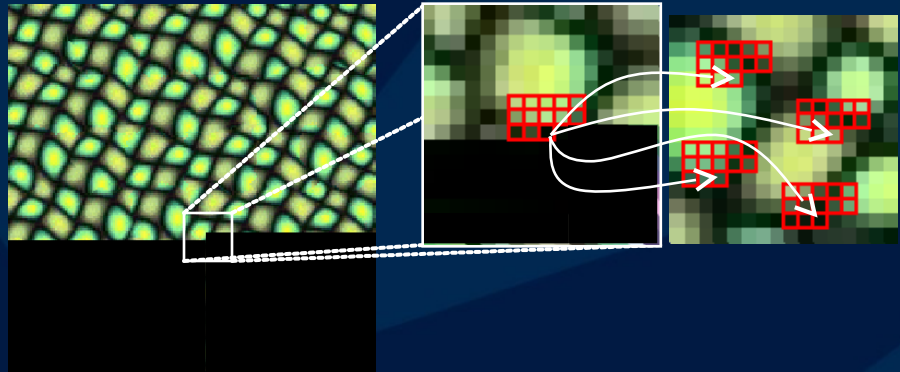
- Lapped textures [Praun, Finkelstein & Hoppe '00]
 - Paste pre-cut tiles on surface
 - Blend borders at rendering
 - Needs a specific rendering algorithm or extra texture storage



Previous works - On-mesh synthesis

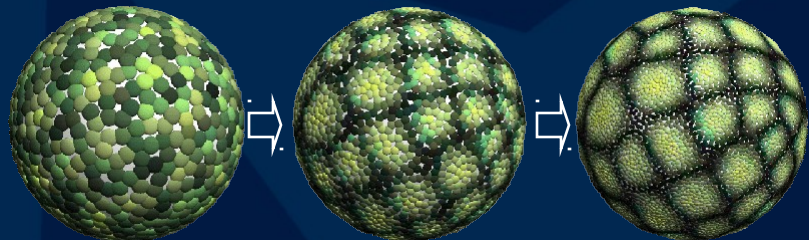
- Non parametric sampling [Efros & Leung'99]

- Use pixel coherence



- 3D Point-based synthesis [Turk'2001, Wei & levoy 2001]

- Proceed hierarchically
 - Produces a collection of colored points in 3D
 - Needs a specific rendering algorithm or extra texture storage

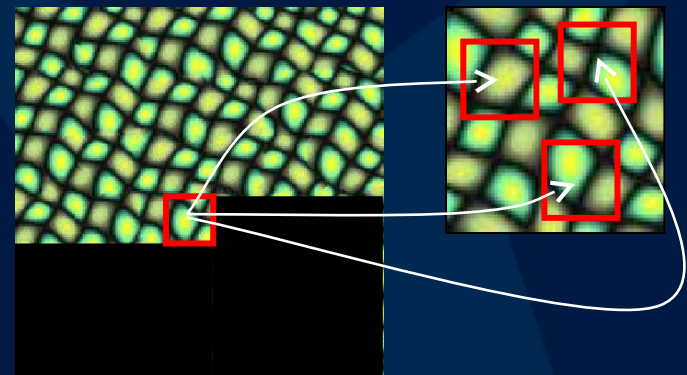


Previous works - Conclusion

- No 3D method provides at the same time
 - Initial mesh conservation
 - Initial texture sample conservation

⇒ This is what we would like to do

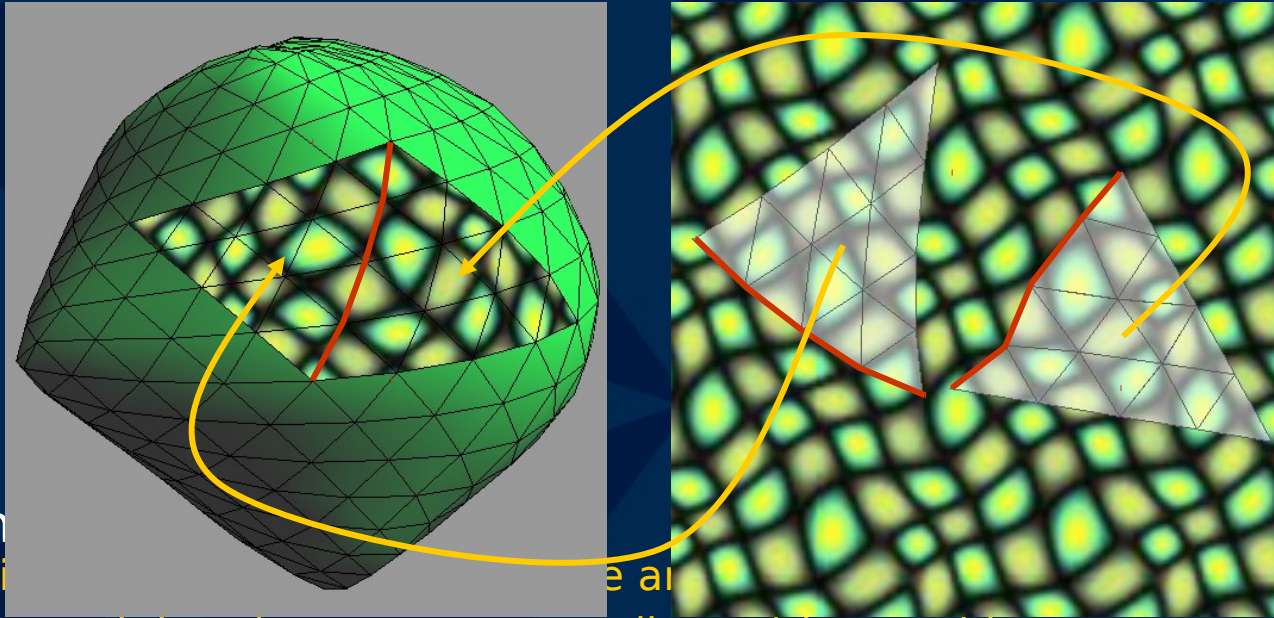
- Related work in 2D: [Efros & freeman 2001]
 - Paste blocks selected from texture sample
 - Reduce discontinuities



- Is it possible on a mesh?

Proposed approach

- Select independent regions in the texture that match once mapped on the mesh



- Advantages
 - Original texture is not needed
 - Computed data (e.g. texture coordinates) is portable

Algorithm (and talk) overview

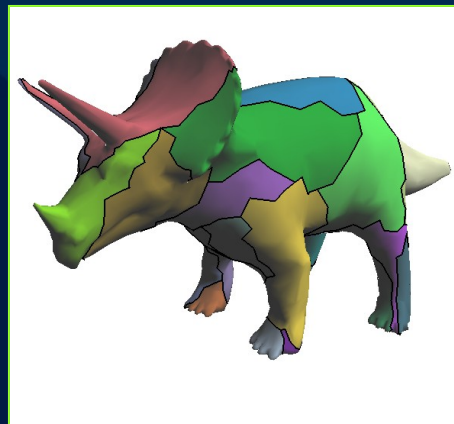
Texture sample -
Mesh



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Design a *face-cluster*
hierarchy

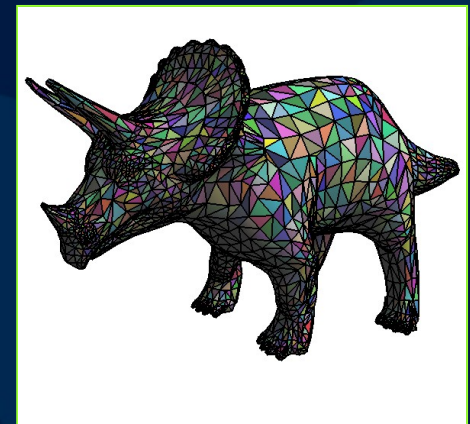


Level 0



Level 1

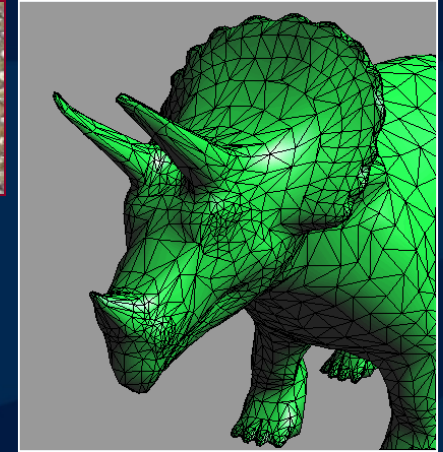
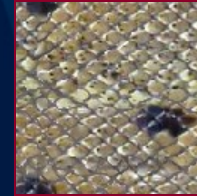
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Deepest level

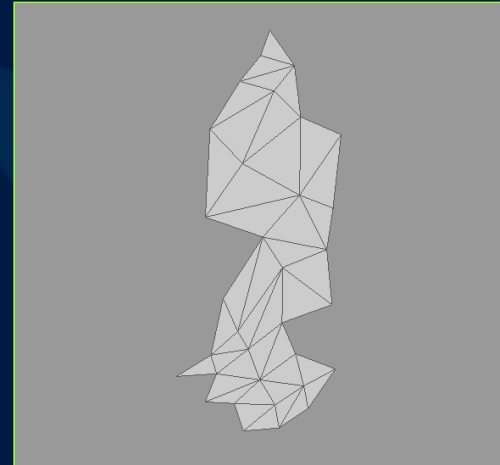
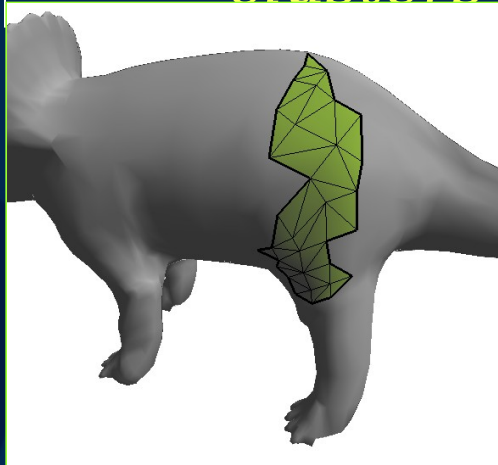
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Design a *face-cluster*
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Flatten *face-*
clusters



Texture space

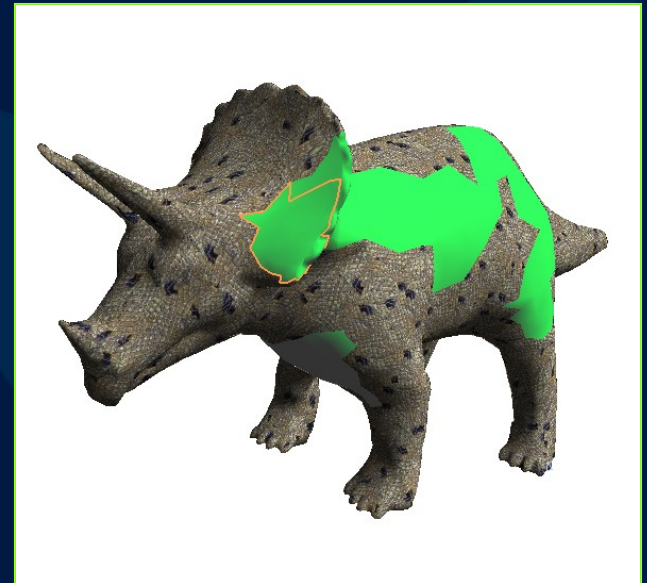
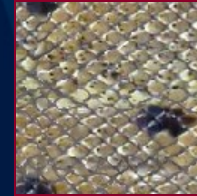
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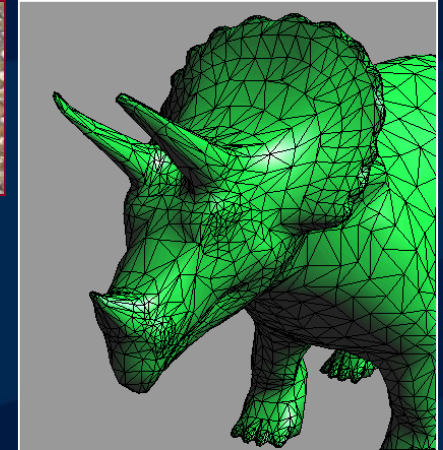
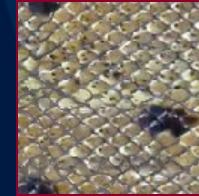
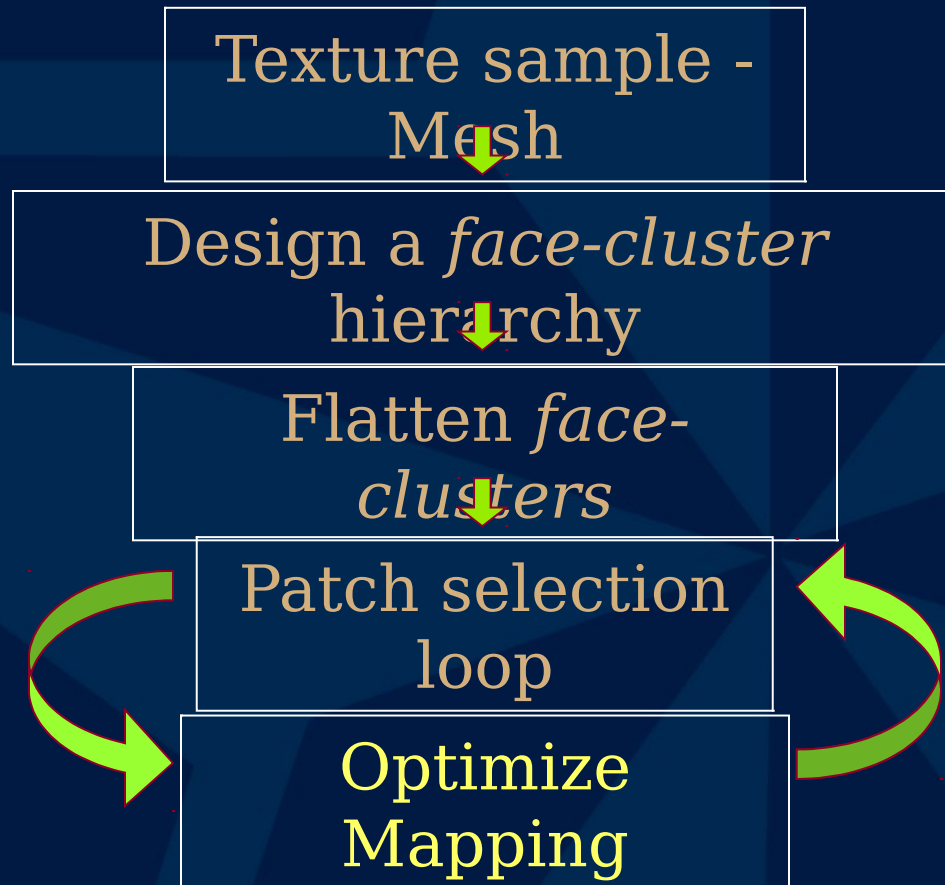
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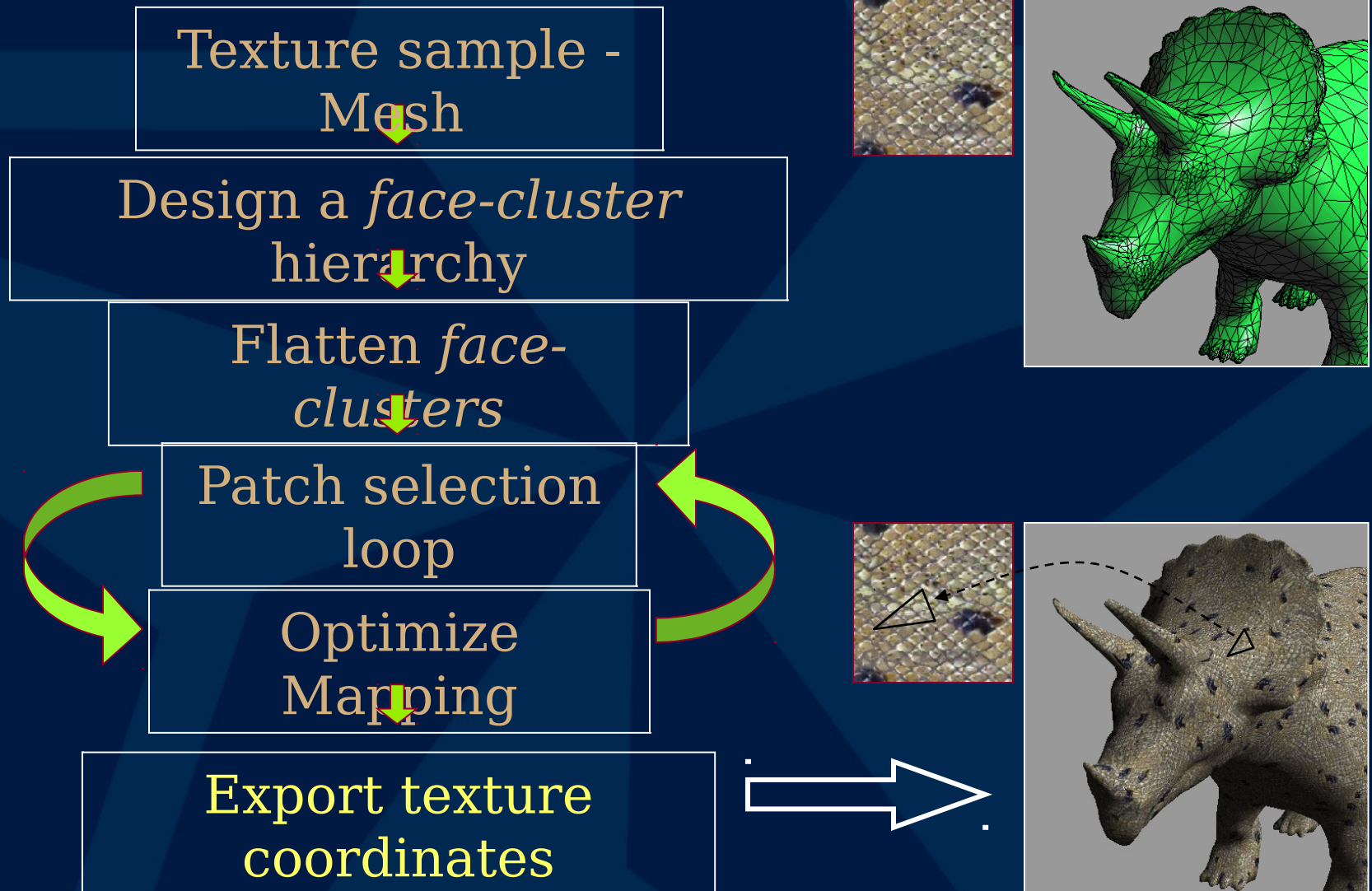
Patch selection
loop



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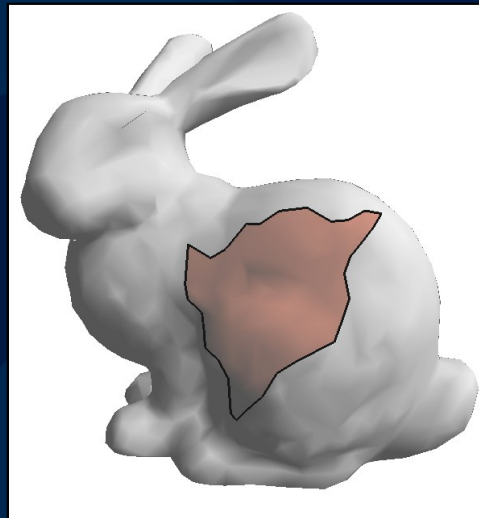
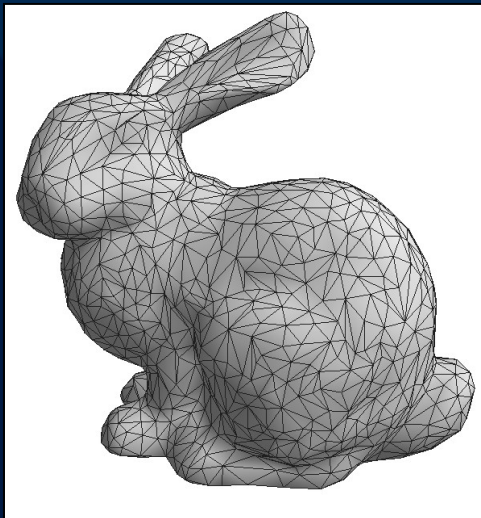
Algorithm (and talk) overview



Design a *Face-Cluster* hierarchy



- Requirements:
 - Face-clusters should be able to project on a plane
- Simple subdivision method:
 - Start with n seed faces (randomly chosen)
 - Assign mesh faces to the sub-cluster of closest seed

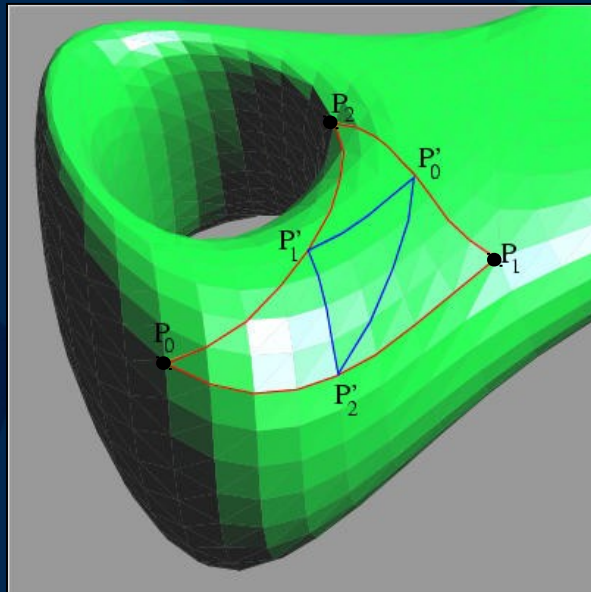


Control points

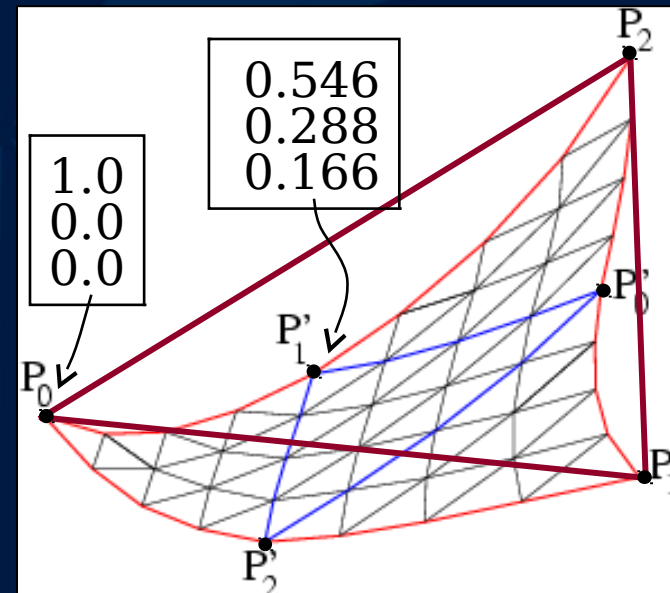
Flattening face-clusters



- For each face-cluster in texture space
 - Pre-compute relative position of control points w.r.t. parent control points in texture space
 - Use barycentric coordinates
 - Compute them with a heuristic



Surface space



Texture space

Flattening face-clusters



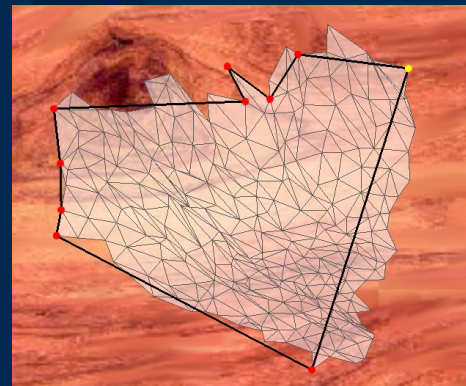
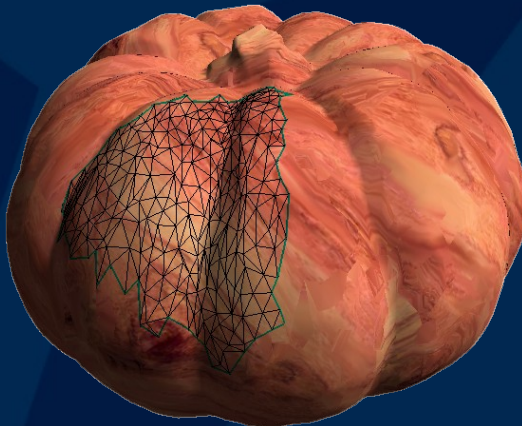
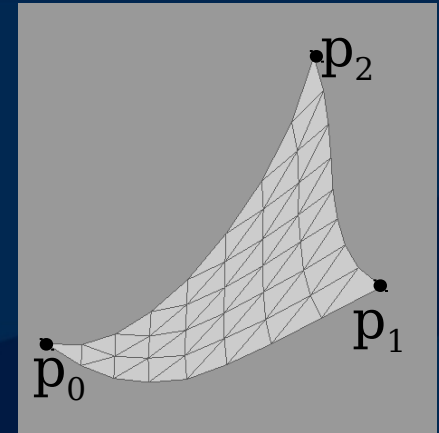
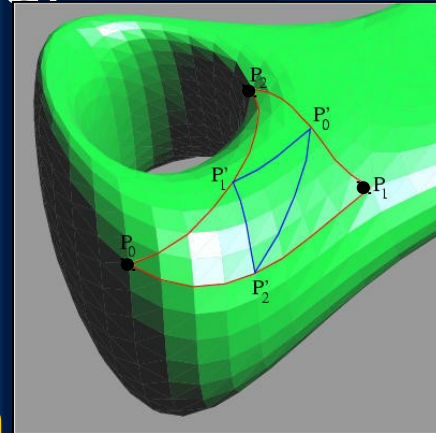
- To flatten a face-cluster

- Position parent control points
- Recursively compute point positions

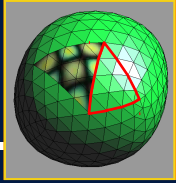
- Advantage

- Real-time update when control points move

➡ Useful to optimize fitting



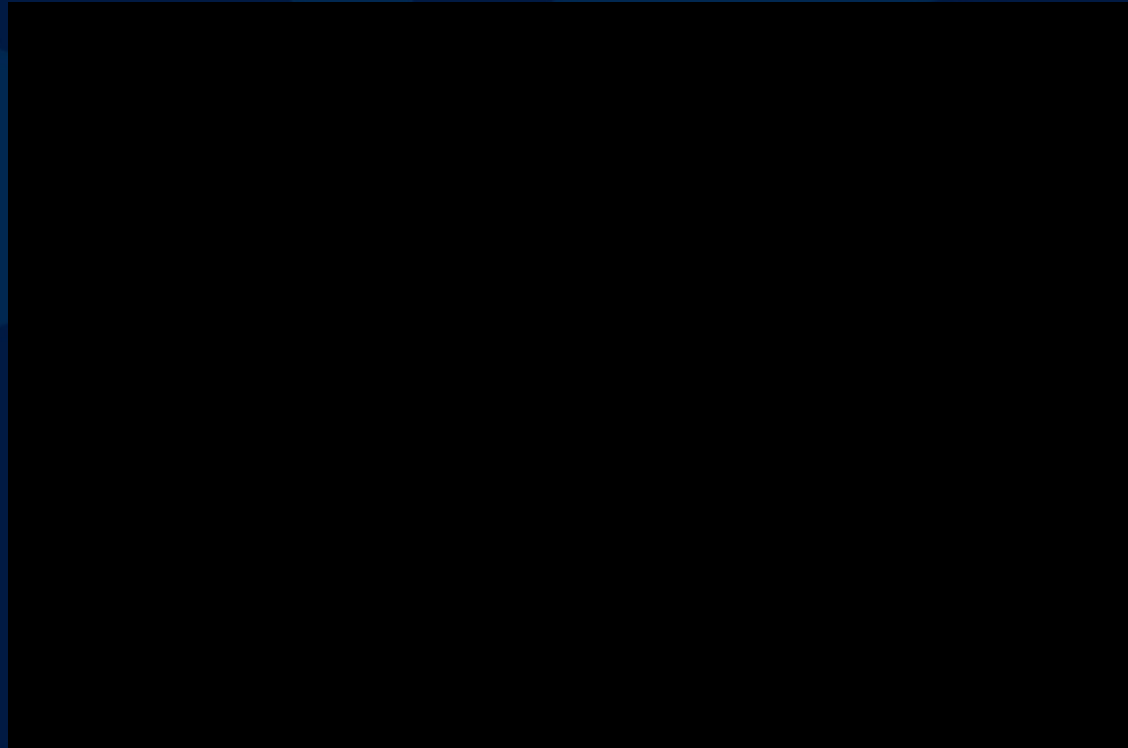
Face-cluster selection algorithm



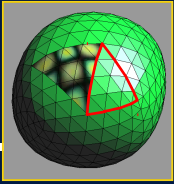
Select and texture face-clusters until total coverage

Rules:

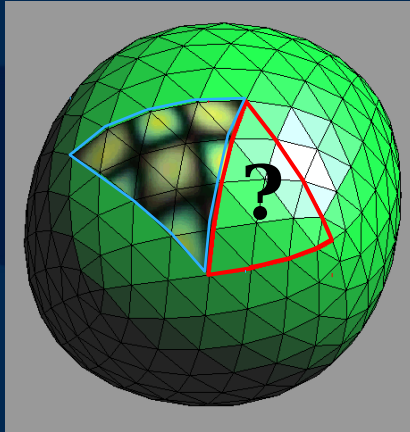
1. Select clusters at highest possible level
2. Propagate mapping to neighboring clusters
3. If too much error (**flattening** or **fitting**)
Subdivide



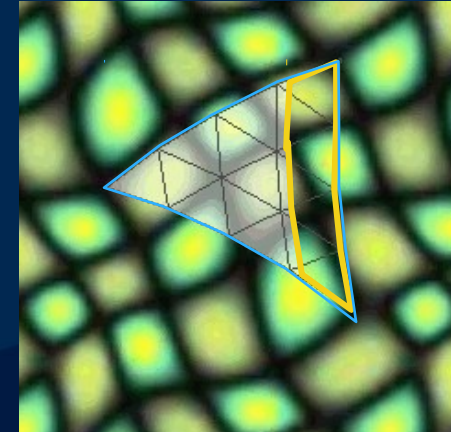
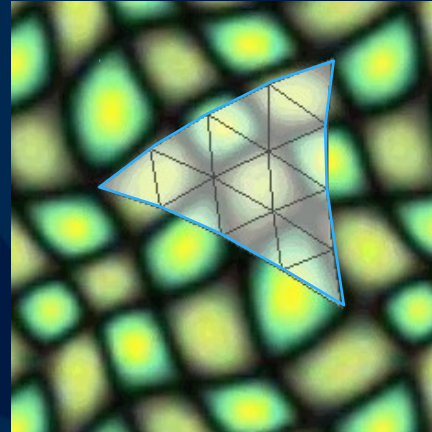
Texture patch fitting



- Extraction of a mask



- Fitting

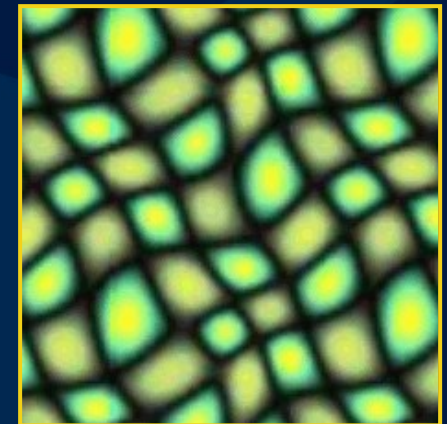


- Can we find somewhere into

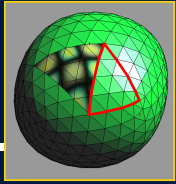
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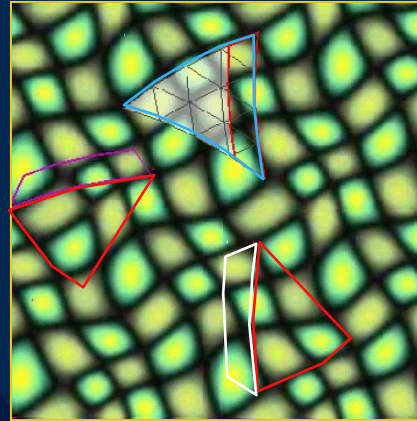
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Texture patch fitting



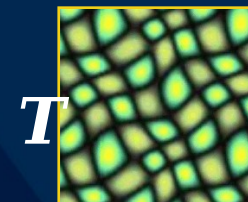
- Example solutions:



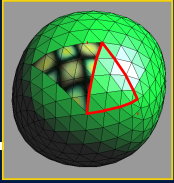
- Best match searching for a translation x
 - Minimize L_2 distance between I and T over J

$$E(x) = \sum_y J(y) (I(y) - T(x + y))^2$$

- Direct computation is costly !!



Texture patch fitting



- Express $E(x)$ as image correlation

$$E(x) = \sum_y I(y)^2 + (-2 I \diamond T + J \diamond (T^2)) (x)$$

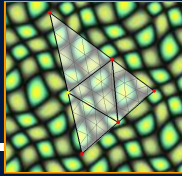
- Compute correlation using FFT ()

\mathcal{F}

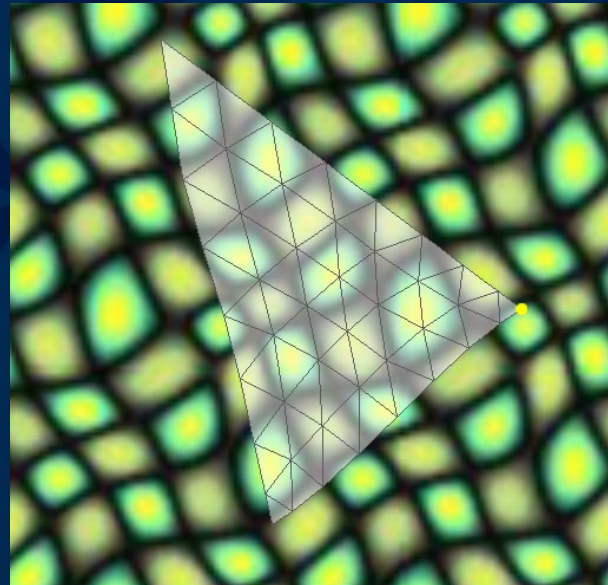
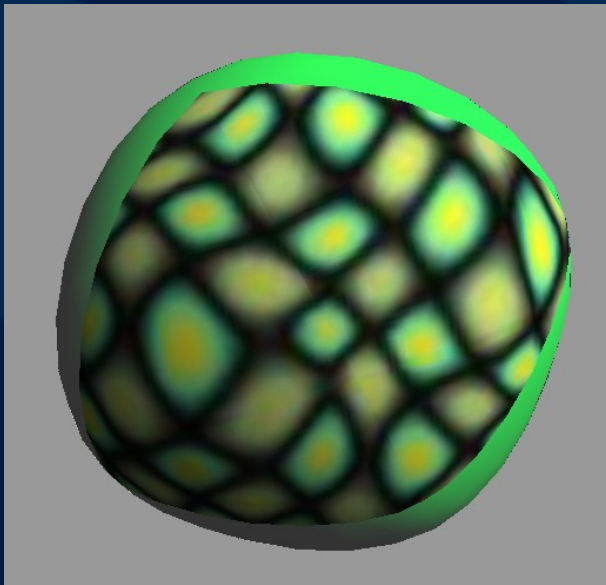
$$f \diamond g = \mathcal{F}^{-1}(\mathcal{F}(f) \overline{\mathcal{F}(g)})$$

- Only $F(x)$ and $F(y)$ must be re-computed at each search
- $F(T)$ and $F(T^2)$ are computed once and saved.
- Pre-compute $F(T)$, $F(T^2)$ for various orientations
- Sample topology is not necessarily toroidal

Mapping optimization



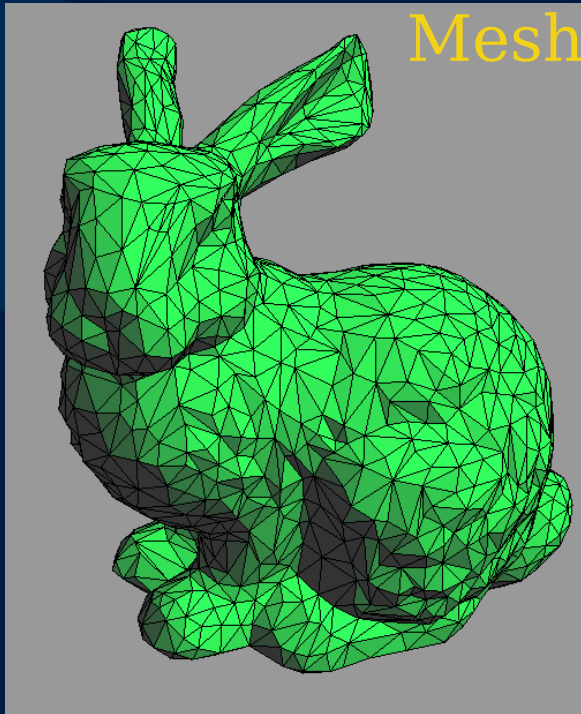
- For each newly mapped face cluster
 - Minimize discontinuity along edges with neighbors
 - Recursively moving control points



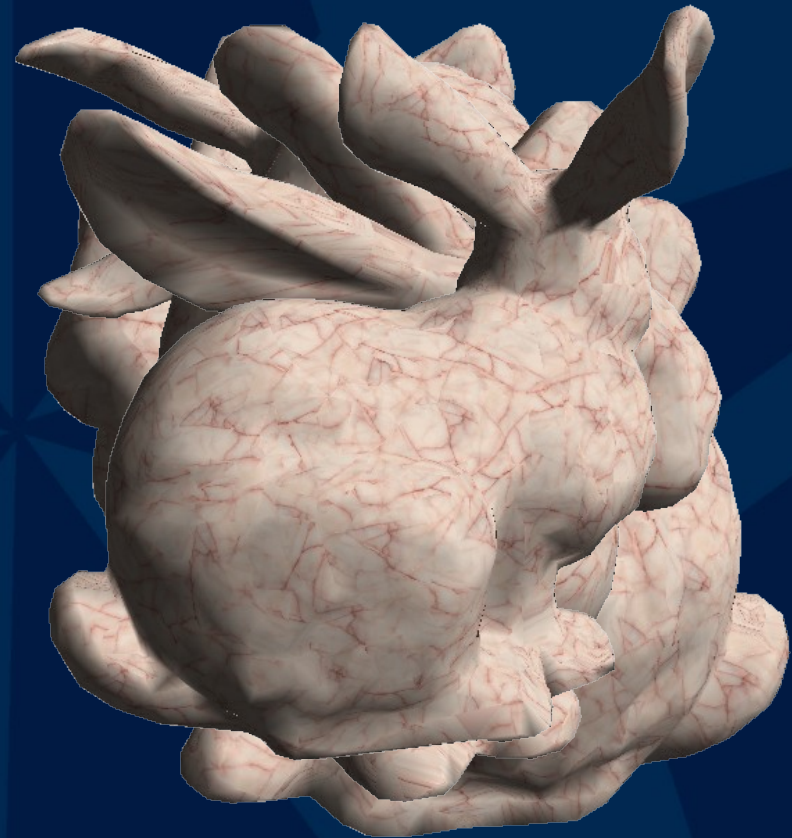
Results - (1) isotropic pattern



Sample

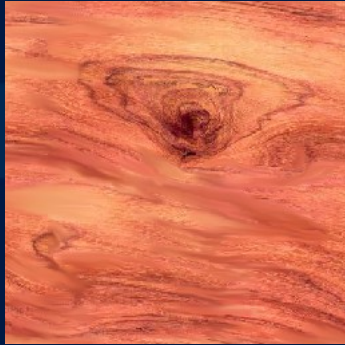


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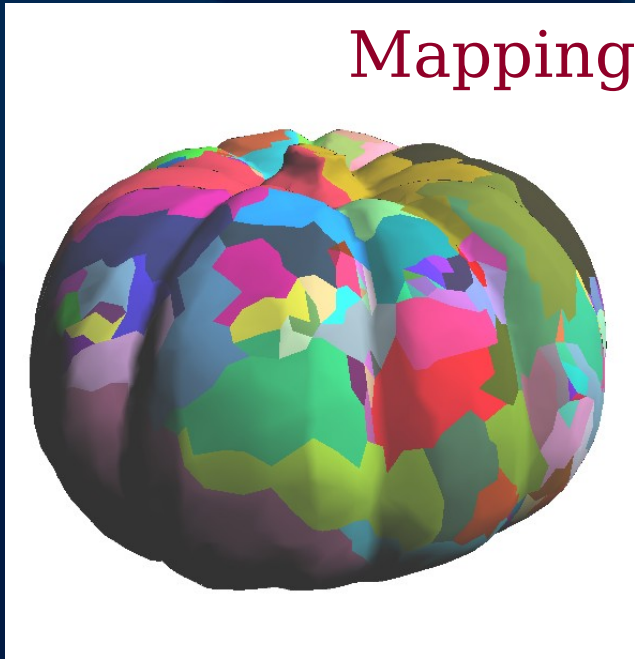


Result (Pentium I
2 mn

Results - (1) isotropic pattern



Sample



Mapping



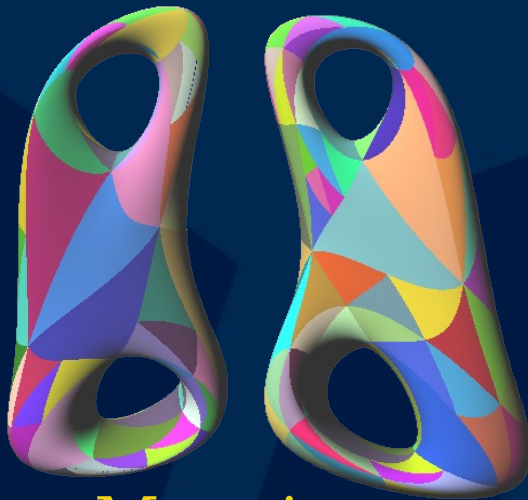
Result
(21 mn)

Results - (2) anisotropic pattern

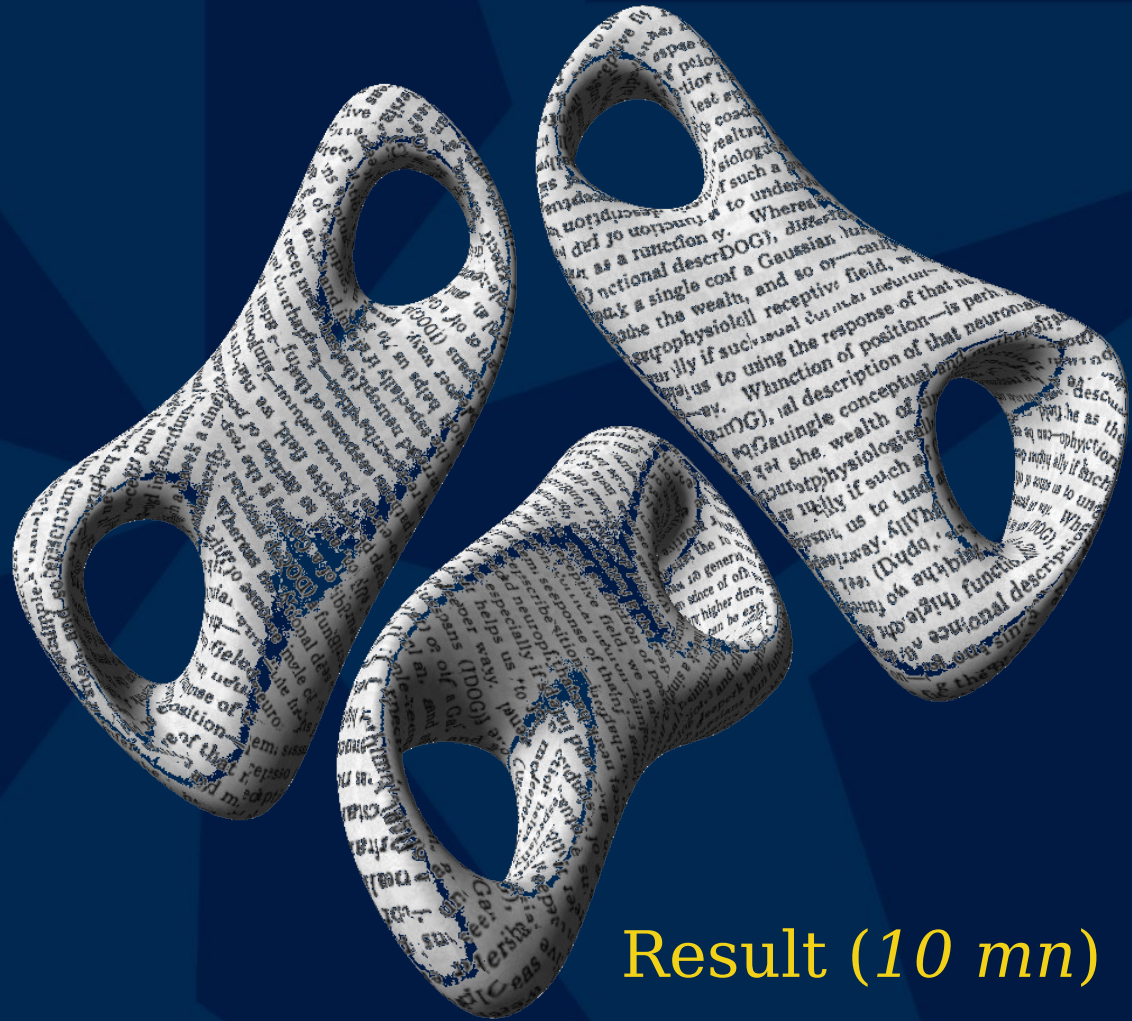


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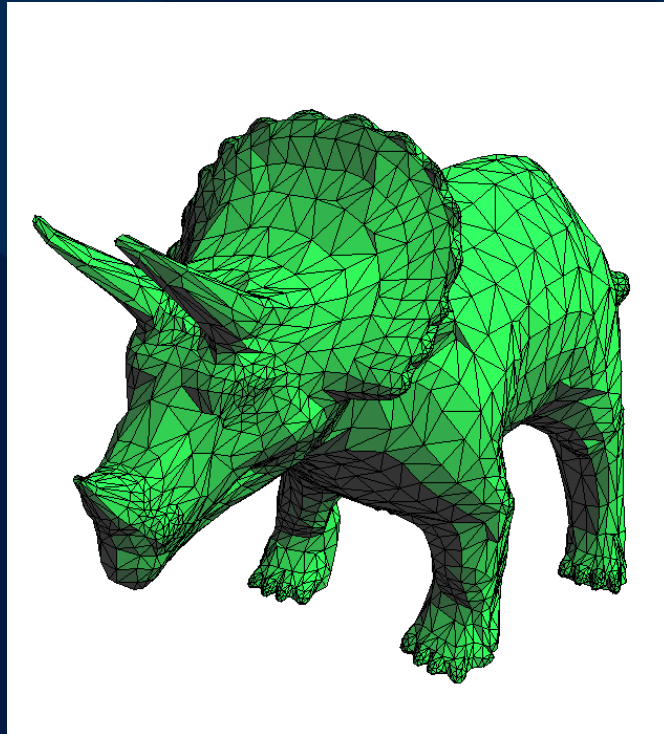
Result (10 mn)

Results - (3) fun



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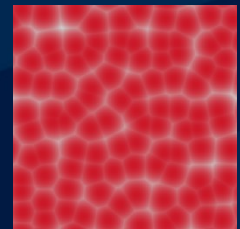
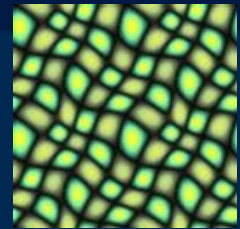
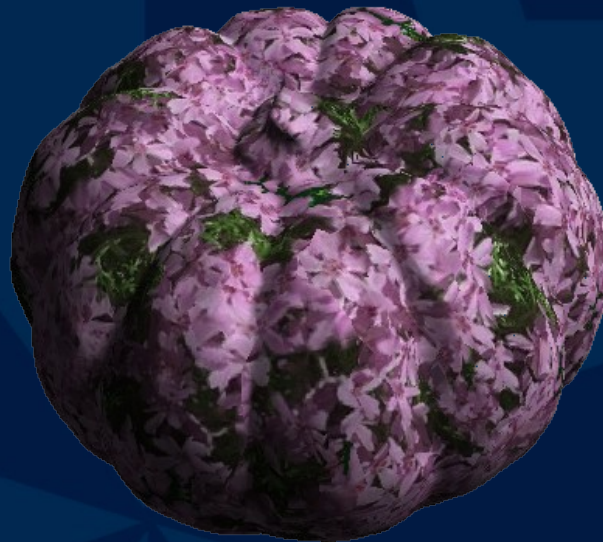
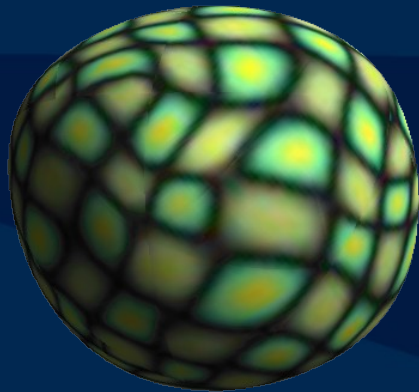
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Result (29 mn)



Results - (3) fun



Samples

Conclusion - Future work

- Advantages

- Preserves initial texture sample and mesh geometry
- Exports texture coordinates only

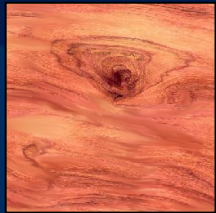
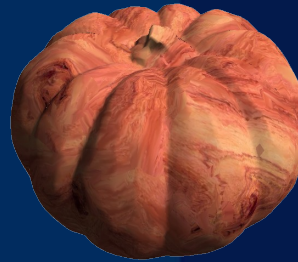
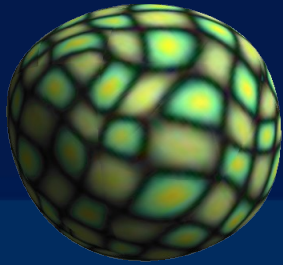
- Limitations

- Mesh resolution should be finer than texture features
- The mapping is (almost) never perfect

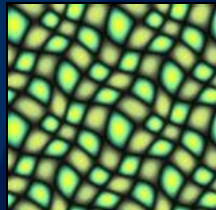
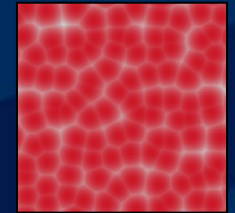
⇒ Still consistent with input mesh resolution
Trade-off: enable local mesh refinement

- Improvements

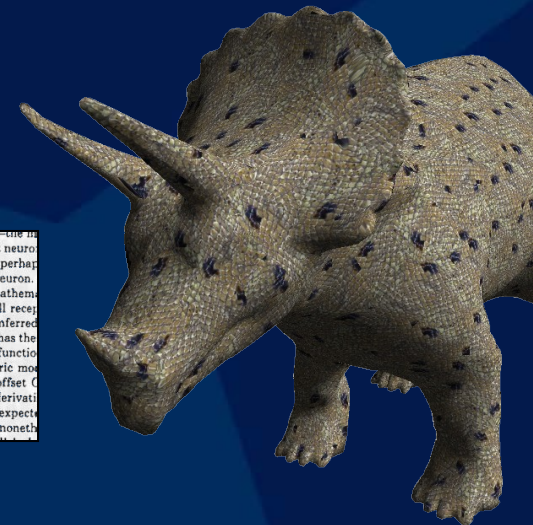
- Allow human intervention during algorithm
- A better clustering would increase speed



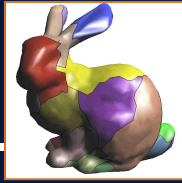
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- ⇒ no need for complex methods
- General meshes: simple subdivision method:
 - Start with n seed faces (randomly chosen)
 - Assign mesh faces to the sub-cluster of closest seed
- Subdivision surfaces: intrinsic subdivision

